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SOUTH AUSTRALIA

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This bulletin shows direct trade between overseas countries and South Australia. INTERSTATE TRADE AND OVERSEA TRADE VIA OTHER STATES IS EXCLUDED. The figures are preliminary and subject to revision.

Because of the wide variety of imports they have in many cases been grouped under headings indicative of main items in the group, e.g. apparel and attire, this makes it impracticable to publish a table of quantities as there is often no appropriate single unit of quantity. For similar reasons the first table excludes a number of export items.

VALUE of exports is expressed \$A f.o.b. or its equivalent at port of shipment; value of imports is "transaction value" \$A f.o.b. or "domestic value" \$A f.o.b. at port of shipment, whichever is the higher.

The values of export items include the values of outside packages (containers and crates). For imports the value of outside packages is recorded as a separate item.

All values in this issue are expressed in decimal currency (\$2=£1). Any discrepancies between totals and sums of components are due to rounding.

TABLE 1 - QUANTITIES OF PRINCIPAL COMMODITIES EXPORTED : SOUTH AUSTRALIA

Principal Commodities	Unit	January 1965	January 1966	Seven months Ended 31st January	
				1965	1966
<u>Foodstuffs, alcoholic liquors, tobacco</u>					
Butter	'000 lb.	-	-	385	362
Cheese	'000 lb.	356	638	11,733	12,572
Flour (incl. semolina)	ton	7,727	4,914	48,643	37,452
Fruit, Dried - Currants	'000 lb.	232	123	4,917	4,396
Raisins	'000 lb.	409	528	14,994	19,187
Other	'000 lb.	149	188	2,127	3,905
Fresh - Apples	case	-	-	10,605	5,103
Preserved and pulped	'000 lb.	1,422	636	14,994	25,117
Grain - Barley	'000 bush.	3,085	1,867	3,936	3,248
Bran and pollard	'000 bush.	43	-	616	45
Oats	'000 bush.	45	34	160	148
Wheat	'000 bush.	3,703	4,108	9,355	19,915
Meat - Beef	'000 lb.	644	591	3,663	3,644
Lamb	'000 lb.	1,212	113	10,450	6,793
Peas (incl. split peas)	cental	1,876	1,794	45,775	49,108
Spirituuous liquors	pf gal.	5,588	16,774	46,935	55,883
Wine	'000 gal.	87	59	1,095	1,054
<u>Animal and vegetable substances</u> (not foodstuffs)					
Tallow	cwt	20,908	1,009	107,339	68,389
Wool - Greasy	'000 lb.	22,410	16,377	106,758	114,420
Other	'000 lb.	912	752	6,881	8,239
<u>Minerals, metals & metal manufactures</u>					
Minerals - Gypsum	'000 cwt	120	47	2,300	1,698
Concentrates and ores -					
Copper	'000 cwt	110	-	406	268
Lead and silver-lead	'000 cwt	-	250	690	1,067
Zinc	'000 cwt	506	597	2,340	2,353
Metals & metal manufactures -					
Iron and steel scrap	'000 cwt	1	-	1,006	356
Lead (pig)	'000 cwt	136	265	1,613	1,846

- Nil or less than half final digit.

TABLE 2 - VALUE OF PRINCIPAL COMMODITIES EXPORTED : SOUTH AUSTRALIA

Principal Commodities	January	January	Seven Months Ended	
	1965	1966	31st January	
			1965	1966
	\$'000			
<u>Foodstuffs, alcoholic liquors, tobacco</u>				
Butter	-	-	117	117
Cheese	87	134	2,335	2,376
Fish (incl. crayfish)	108	138	245	895
Flour (incl. semolina)	503	311	3,308	2,315
Fruit, Dried - Currants	32	15	654	605
Raisins	59	70	2,172	2,868
Other	28	36	593	1,061
Fresh - Apples	-	-	36	11
Other	75	1	582	728
Juices and syrups	5	1	258	21
Preserved and pulped	172	88	1,778	2,879
Grain - Barley	3,285	2,126	4,220	3,651
Bran and pollard	17	-	201	17
Oats	38	30	142	133
Wheat	5,501	5,874	14,397	28,022
Honey	6	23	41	75
Meat - Beef	184	171	1,011	1,031
Lamb	222	20	1,793	1,180
Other	129	126	1,015	1,153
Peas (incl. split peas)	10	10	208	250
Spirituous liquors	28	58	211	241
Wine	182	90	1,947	1,661
<u>Animal and vegetable substances</u> (not foodstuffs)				
Hides and skins	376	469	5,678	5,161
Tallow	169	9	803	591
Wool - Greasy	12,338	8,456	56,496	53,977
Other	753	585	5,760	5,995
<u>Minerals, metals, & metal manufactures</u>				
Minerals -				
Gypsum	21	10	599	427
Concentrates and ores -				
Copper	912	-	3,291	2,549
Lead and silver-lead	-	2,218	6,371	9,659
Zinc	1,676	1,995	8,965	7,789
Metals and metal manufactures -				
Iron and steel scrap	7	3	1,351	598
Lead (pig)	2,025	3,446	20,963	23,767
Machinery and vehicles	844	823	7,642	8,495
Other metals & metal manufactures	155	349	4,845	4,457
<u>Miscellaneous</u>				
Paints, drugs, chemicals, plastics	30	60	364	308
Salt	3	23	403	375
All other	345	1,038	3,280	4,623
TOTAL EXPORTS	30,324	28,806	164,073	179,863

- Nil or less than \$500

TABLE 3 - VALUE OF PRINCIPAL COMMODITIES IMPORTED : SOUTH AUSTRALIA

Principal Commodities	January	January	Seven Months Ended	
	1965	1966	31st January	1966
			1965	1966
			\$'000	
<u>Food and live animals</u>				
Fish and fish preparations	147	115	920	980
Fruit and vegetables	57	81	297	424
Coffee, tea, cocoa, spices	200	173	974	870
Other	60	43	467	480
<u>Beverages and tobacco</u>				
Beverages	9	18	140	210
Tobacco and tobacco manufactures	24	47	237	282
<u>Crude materials, inedible</u>				
Crude rubber	5	90	585	687
Wood, timber and cork	229	205	4,157	4,015
Pulp and waste paper	30	58	683	471
Textile fibres and waste	165	33	2,742	1,243
Crude fertilizers and crude minerals	314	616	2,385	2,624
Other	86	79	481	647
<u>Mineral fuels, lubricants</u>				
Petroleum and petroleum products	1,351	2,637	11,462	14,703
Other	1	1	3	204
<u>Animal and vegetable oils and fats</u>				
Fixed vegetable oils and fats	75	55	366	381
Other	5	5	64	21
<u>Chemicals</u>				
Chemical elements and compounds	206	214	936	1,408
Medicinal and pharmaceutical products	89	49	341	294
Fertilizers, manufactured	-	32	214	137
Plastic materials and artificial resins	190	174	1,566	1,474
Other	237	352	2,412	1,867
<u>Manufactured goods</u>				
Leather, leather manufactures	18	7	142	42
Rubber manufactures	145	156	1,116	1,208
Wood and cork manufactures	34	51	538	546
Paper, paperboard and manufactures	324	315	3,169	2,962
Textile yarn, fabrics, made-up articles	874	984	7,119	8,318
Non-metallic mineral manufactures	335	295	3,392	2,756
Iron and steel	824	679	7,047	5,284
Non-ferrous metals	135	45	1,001	544
Manufactures of metal n.e.s.	373	300	2,648	2,432
<u>Machinery and transport equipment</u>				
Machinery, other than electric	2,558	4,373	15,806	28,861
Electrical machinery and appliances	1,192	1,523	6,381	9,252
Transport equipment	5,961	3,237	26,781	21,040
<u>Miscellaneous manufactured articles</u>				
Professional, scientific and controlling instruments; photographic and optical goods; watches and clocks	206	110	1,375	1,585
Other	612	411	4,213	3,844
Commodities and transactions not classified to kind	867	1,108	4,271	4,658
TOTAL IMPORTS	17,934	18,669	116,433	126,752

- Nil or less than \$500

